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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Expedited Prosecution - Art Group 1762

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
ATSUSHI KOIKE ET AL) : Examiner: Eric B. Fuller
Application No.: 09/818,640) : Group Art Unit: 1762
Filed: March 28, 2001) :
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS) :
FOR DEPOSITED FILM) : September 1, 2004

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

a.) Introductory Comments

In response to the final Office Action dated July 15, 2004, kindly amend the subject application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 as follows: